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Tuesday, Feb. 14, 1911, at Hubbard, Neb.—Erin Maun

Saturday, Feb. 11th, 4 miles west of Jackson, Neb., ... Peter Anderson

THE HERALD WILL PRINT YOUR SALE BILLS

Local Items

Friday, Feb. 10, 1911

Trade at home. You will find a good assortment of hardware and tinware at reasonable prices at Schriever Bros.

Fruit of all kinds at Van de Zedde's.

Attorney T E Griffin of Sioux City had business here Monday.

Julius Quintal is slowly recovering from his long siege of sickness.

Mrs W S Baughman has been laid up with rheumatism the past week.

Have you seen the "Valentine Post Cards" at the Dakota City Pharmacy?

Fred Runge expects to leave for North Dakota next month with his family.

There will be a regular meeting of the Masonic lodge Saturday evening of this week.

A full stock of groceries, fruit, dry goods notions, shoes, and rubbers. M E Knepper & Co.

Guy Cheney and wife left Monday for Chicago where Mr Cheney has some business matters to look after.

Judge R E Evans is in Omaha again this week taking evidence in the case instituted to oust Chief of Police J J Dodahue.

This changeable season is the time to protect your chickens against roup. The Dakota City Pharmacy will tell you how.

The Herald turned out sale bills last week for Erin Mann's big closing out auction sale to be held near Hubbard, Neb, Tuesday, February 14.

Van has some of those fine Venitian mirrors which he is giving away with coupon trade tickets. Call and see them, it won't cost you anything.

About a foot of snow covered the ground last Sunday, and for a wonder no wind accompanied the downfall. It will be a great benefit to the farmers in general.

Married, at the Lutheran parsonage, February 4th, by Rev S L Leller, J Arthur Launta and Hattie M Stuart, the former from Tipton, Iowa, the latter from Sioux City.

Word was received here Tuesday from Ilwaco, Wash, that Cook Critchfield had died in a hospital there, where he had been for several months, taking treatment for paralysis.

The holy communion will be celebrated in Salem and Emmanuel Lutheran churches on the second Sunday of February at the hours of 11 a m and 7:30 p m, respectively. A full attendance of members is desired.

The next number on the lecture course will be Henry Black Burns in one of his popular lectures, Tuesday, February 14th. Hear him at the M E church—an extra number on the lecture course, thrown in for good measure.

Sam Knox was down from his farm six miles west of Hubbard Saturday and left an order for bills, advertising his big auctian sale to be held Wednesday, February 15th. See notice in another column giving a list of the property offered.

Do you know that croup can be prevented? Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse or even after the croupy cough appears and it will prevent the attack. It is also a certain cure for croup and has never been known to fail. Sold by all druggists.

Marriage licenses were issued Wednesday to Samuel A Glover and Cora L Almira, of Lawton, Iowa; and to Henry W Peters and Miss Mary Elizabeth Reninger, of Nacora, Neb. The last named couple will be married the 14th inst. at the home of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs Wm W Reninger, it being the silver wedding anniversary of this worthy couple, which happy event will also be fittingly observed.

James Riddle, who several years ago conducted a saloon in this place, and who established the resort at Crystal lake known as Riddle's Park, shot and killed a man, Frank Hedrick, at Kansas City, Mo, last Saturday night. An account of the tragedy will be found in the exchange column of this paper. Riddle was held for murder by the coroner's jury, but as there were no witnesses to the shooting, and Hedrick having threatened his life it is believed that Riddle will be freed.

A meeting of the Dakota City school board will be held next Wednesday evening, Feb 15th, to take up the question of enlarging the territory of the district. As this question of education should interest every one who resides within a radius of five or six miles of Dakota City, a general invitation is extended to school boards and patrons of the several districts adjacent to this place, to meet with them and talk over the proposition. A new school house will be built in Dakota City, and if it is the wish of the adjoining districts to get the benefit of a twelve grade high school with very little expense, now is the time to act.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Dakota City volunteer fire department was held at the office of Clerk of the District Court George Wilkins Tuesday night. A set of by-laws and constitution were adopted, and about twenty-five signatures for membership secured at the meeting A permanent set of offiers elected as follows: President, J P Rockwell; secretary, Geo Wilkins; treasurer, John H Ream; fire chief, G F Broybill; assistant fire chief, Frank H Forest. A set of apparatus, such as the present organization requires has been ordered by the village board, and when this arrives a suitable building will be provided in which to house it. We hope that Dakota City may never have another fire but if we should we would we will also have an organization that will be well equipped to cope with it.

Bruen's coffee is still in the lead. Van de Zedde sells it.

Esther Ross has been confined to her home the past week.

Robert L Cheney returned Saturday to his home at Hardingrove, S D.

A fine baby boy was born to Harry Chamberlain and wife last Friday.

Abel Cheney returned last Friday to his home at Black River Falls, Wis.

Miss Lena Sunt went to Chicago last Saturday to enter a hospital as nurse.

We will pay 28c per dozen for eggs, and 25c per pound for butter. M E Knepper & Co.

Remember, you can find a complete line of rubber goods at the Dakota City Pharmacy.

Ashley Londrosh and son-in-law, Harry Chamberlain, were up from Winnebago over Sunday.

If you haven't got time to do your own shopping call up No 1. and he will deliver the goods promptly.

Chris Paulsen's auction sale was a "hummer," from all reports, attributed to judicious advertising in the Herald.

Chas O'Connor was down from Nacora Saturday on business. He remembered the Herald financially while in town.

Don't forget the coffee with the dishes at Van de Zedde's—he has a nice assortment. A nice dish with each package.

Walter Cheney brought three car loads of feeders home from the stock yards Monday to rough feed them until spring.

Herman Lahrs, son of Wm Lahrs of this place, went to Grand Island, Neb, last week to take a course in the Normal college.

U S Marshal Warner came up from Omaha yesterday and was a passenger to Homer, where he goes to look after the estate of Alex Nixon.

County Attorney J J McAllister installed a new piano in his home Tuesday. The instrument was purchased from Prof Carl Schriever.

Ed Sundt and family moved to town last week from the Gus Berger farm. They are occupying the Eva L Orr house east of the M E church.

Do you know, the kind of writing paper used is an indication of character? The "Quality Kind" you will find at the Dakota City Pharmacy.

Owing to sickness Miss Bess Robertson has given up her room in the high school for a month. Joe Power of Ponca, will substitute for the time.

Sam A Heikes moved his old farm residence to this place last week, locating it on the corner lots south of the Foltz blacksmith shop. When fitted up it will make a nice and comodious residence.

$80.00 per month straight salary and expenses, to man with rig, to introduce our Poultry Remedies. Don't answer unless you mean business, Eureka Poultry Food Mfg Co (Incorporated), East St Louis, Ill.

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Word was received by Mrs Geo Niebuhr that her sister, Mrs John DeWitt, was operated on recently at a hospital in Anaheim, Cal, for gall stones, and that she is very low. Her daughter, Sylvia, left for California yesterday to be with her mother.

An attack of grip is often followed by a persistent cough, which to many proves a great annoyance. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been extensively used and with good success for the relief and cure of this cough. Many cases have been cured after all other remedies had failed. Sold by all druggists.

S A Stinson is selling everything he has at from 25 per cent to 50 per cent cent discount but as special he will sell on Saturday Feb 11, women's and children's underwear, all of his neckties and sweaters at one-half price. Gold Dust and Baker's Chocolate at 20c per package.

A few minutes delay in treating some cases of croup, even the length of time it takes to go for a doctor often proves dangerous. The safest way is to keep Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house, and at the first indication of croup give the child a dose. Pleasant to take and always cures. Sold by all druggists.

The City Hotel, Dakota City, Neb, has been newly furnished throughout by Messrs Dery & Morrison, the new proprietors. A pleasing feature of the new hostlery is the home cooking of bread, pies, cakes, etc, served to the guests. Family dinners will also be made a feature by the new management. A special rate will be made to those attending the Farmers Institute held on Friday and Saturday of next week.

Following is the petit jury for the February 13, 1911 term of district court of Dakota County: W A Morgan, Geo Teller, W S Orr, Nelson Feauto, John Harris, Stephen Joyce, John Jordan, Geo W Bates, C B Guernsey, John Cullen, Charles Bliven, Herman Sund, J H Hinken, R D Rockwell, Louis Peterson, John G Miller, W I Davis, John Nixon, John Bike, Chris Hansen, Geo Midkiff, N D Pilgrim, Nick Jacobsen, Geo Hirschback.

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

HIGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Fools make money. It takes a wise man to tell how to spend it.

—English.

The only proper way to educate a child up to and including the high school is to do it without disturbing his home or taking him out of it. The county or village child is entitled to as good an education as the city child and at no more risk or incovenience to him or his family. Consolidation of schools and free transportation of pupils satisfy the above requirements. Ten of the many advantages of consolidation and transportations are:

1. At the same expense much better schools can be provided, because fewer teachers being needed a better grade can be secured, a division of labor established, and at least some sort of supervision inaugurated.

2. It makes possible a village school equal in every sense to the best city schools, yet within reach of every farm homes. No other system has been tried or even proposed that can accomplish this or guarrantee to the county child the same educational advantages as are afforded the city child without taking him out of his home and to the city.

3. The health of the children is better when conveyed in wagons and landed warm and dry than when sitting all day with wet feet and draggled clothes after tramping through all kinds of roads in all kinds of weather.

4. The number who will attend school is found to be larger when children are conveyed; the attendance is more regular and tardiness is unknown.

5. The inspiration that comes with numbers put life into the school that is impossible in classes of one or two each. It also militates against that self-consciousness due to lack of association so often noticeable in the country children as it does against the domineering influence of one or two "big scholars" in a small school.

6. The teachers feel and exhibit the effect of contact with other teachers, a condition in marked contrast with that of one working alone month after month with no companionship but that of the children.

7. It makes possible the employment of at least one experienced, well-educated, broad-minded teacher, under whose supervision even young and inexperienced teachers covering fewer things will do far better than when working alone trying to teach everything.

8. It increases the property values as a whole for those who care to sell, and it broadens life for those who stay.

9. It makes unnecessary the sending of young boys and girls away from home for high school privileges on the one hand, or the breaking up of homes on the other, in "going to town to educate the children."

10. It makes unnecessary the present costly system of sending the young men and women at private expense to village or city high schools, thus supporting a double system of education.

The opportunity is now at hand for Dakota City and adjoining districts to consolidate and establish a twelve grade school, second to none in the state of Nebraska, at a nominal cost. All who wish to know more about consolidation and to hear the subject discussed pro and con are urged to attend the meeting next Wednesday evening which will be held for that purpose at Dakota City Statistics will be given from both the national and the state educational departments. Come prepared to discuss your local conditions.

J A Chicoine, Prin

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT

Roll of honor for January.

Loyd Moore, James Graham, Charles Hall, Henry Krumwiede, Elsie Krumwiede, Raymond Quiental. Alta Antrim, Homer Hansen, and Haven Hansen. Case of tardiness 2. Percentage of attendance .85.

James Graham, Loyd Moore, and Charles Hall received perfect attendance diplomas Frfday. There boys have been neither tardy nor absent during the five months of school.

The bad roads are the cause of considerable absence this week.

Charlie Derry is now enrolled in the 4th grade.

The work is progressing very nicely with the new books.

No school was held in the 2nd primary on Monday forenoon beoause of the cold weather.

Clara Jeppesen.

Loyal to South Dakota.

Alpena, S. D., February, 2, 1911.

To The Dakota County Herald:—

Thought I would write a few lines about South Dakota. It is prospering very much in the last two or three years, and land is advancing very fast. Land that was selling for $30 and $40 three years ago is today selling for $55 and $60 and some still higher. There was a farm sold last summer near Lane for $100 an acre.

We have had a very nice winter here. Hardly any snow at all. We did'nt get to hear the merry sound of sleigh bells this winter. What snow we had drifted New Years day and left the ground bare. January has been like April with the exception of the first week, and there is very little snow left now, and hope it continues the balance of the winter as it has so far. It is far different weather than we had last winter.

We had very good crops this year for what little rain we had, but in the year 1909 we had a bumper crop. I believe South Dakota is all right for both crops and health. There has been several of our old Nebraska neighbors up to see old South Dakota since we came here, returning with the thoughts of South Dakota being a very nice country. George Teller and Harry Goodfellow made us a very pleasant visit during January. George was up to see his new home near Woonsocket. I will close my letter now. With best regards from a friend in Alpena.

Helen V. Linafelter.

Sunday School Convention

The Fifth Annual convention of the Dakota County Sunday School association will be held February 24th in the M E church at Dakota City. The general secretary of the Nebraska State Sunday School association, Rev Chas H B Lewis, will be present. He is well able to give information and instruction on every line of Sunday school work. If you wish any particular subject or department of the work presented or discussed, please inform the county secretary, Miss Haase, at once. Plan now to attend and help make the convention a success and learn how to do more efficient Sunday school work.

J F Winebrenner, President.
Wm L Wolfe, Secretary.

Farmers to Meet.

The annual meeting of the Dakota County Farmer's Institute will be held in this place February 10th and 11th in the Ayres-Krumwiede hall. Following is the program:

FRIDAY.

10.00 a. m. Best method of seeding, wheat and oats, B. M. Boals, M. Beacom, Dan Hartnett, George Teller.

11.00 a. m. Pastures, George Miller, M. Beacom, A. J. Kramper, T. F. Monahan.

Dinner.

1.00 p. m. Alfalfa growing, curing and feeding of it, Capt. W. S. A. Smith, Sioux City, Tom Sullivan, John B. Evans.

2.30 p. m. Benefits of the silo, A. J. Westsioux City.
Report of grain judge, H. E. Brown, Salix, Iowa.

SATURDAY.

10.00 a. m. Chickens for profit, W. W. Baldwin, Sioux City.

11.00. a. m. Problems in growing hogs, R. H. Searle, Lincoln, Tom Bayne, Sioux City.

1.00 p. m. Are you raising the most profitable type of horses? W. F. Kydd, Simcoe, Ontario.

2.00 p. m. Stock judging demonstration. New method of cooking and serving fruits and vegetables, illustrated by cooking demonstrations, Miss Nellie Maxwell, Neenah, Wis.

EVENING SESSION.

7.30 New stunts in the chicken business, R. Searle.
Home nursing, Miss Maxwell.
Small fruit and grapevines, Mr. Kydd.

PREMIUMS.

ADULTS' DIVISION.

Class A—yellow corn—1st., silver loving cup; 2nd., $3 suit case; 3rd., $2 cash and six patent seed corn hangers.

Class B—white corn—1st. $5 plush robe; 2nd, $3 cash; 3rd, $2 cash.

Class C—sweepstakes of A and B—Davis flexible 4-section harrow, value $34.

BOYS' DIVISION.

(Under 18 years old)

Class D—yellow or white corn—1st, gun; 2nd, $2 cash; 3rd, $1 cash; 4th, pocketknife.

All exhibits in above class to constitute 10 ears.

Class E—best single ear exhibit, open to all, yellow or white corn—1st, $10 watch; 2nd, $2 cash; 3rd, $1 cash.

Wheat—spring—1st, corn sheller; 2nd, $2 cash; 3rd $1 cash.

Wheat—winter—1st, Atlas pump jack, value $10; 2nd, $2 cash; 3rd, $1 cash.

Oats—1st, $5 cash; 2nd, $2 cash; 3rd, one hand corn planter.

Exhibits of small grain to be one peck.

Potatoes—Early Ohio—1st $4 cash; 2nd one bushel seed corn; 3rd, $1 worth garden seeds and poultry waterer.

Potatoes—white—1st, $4 cash; 2nd, $3 hat; 3rd, 15-lb pail mica axle grease.

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Bread—1st, $5 rug; 2nd, 100 pounds flour; 3rd, 5-lb can baking powder.

Butter—1st, $5 umbrella; 2nd, set silver spoons; 3rd, 50-lb sack flour.

Layer cake—1st, Art pillow; 2nd, $1 cash; 3rd, 50c cash.

Angels food—1st, carving set; 2nd, one doz Johnson's Biscuits; 3rd, 50c cash.

Devil food—1st, $2; 2nd, $1; 3rd, 50c.
Mince pie—1st, $1.50; 2nd, $1; 3rd, 50c.
Apple pie—1st, $1.50; 2nd, $1; 3rd, 50c.
Lemon pie—1st, $1.50; 2nd, $1; 3rd 50c.

GIRLS' DEPARTMENT.

(Under 18 years old)

Bread—1st, $5 waist; 2nd, $2 cash; 3rd, one pound Johnson's chocolates.

Layer cake—1st, $2.50 silk umbrella; 2nd, $1, 3rd, 50c.

Angel food—1st, $2; 2nd, $1; 3rd, one pound Johnson's chocolates.

COLT DIVISION.

Draft colts under 12 months of age, to be exhibited Saturday afternoon, February 11, at 1:30 p. m.—1st, $8; 2nd, $7; 3rd, $5.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

All grain exhibits must be placed before 10 a. m. on Friday morning, February 10. Parties will be on hand at Ayres' hall to receive the exhibits Thursday.

All exhibits in women's and girls' departments must be placed by 11 o'clock a. m., Saturday, February 11.

All exhibits must be grown and selected by exhibitor.

LIST OF CONTRIBUTORS.

The following is a list of those who have contributed in cash and merchandise as premiums:

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Long & Hansen, $10 watch.
Steele Siman Co, $10.
E & W Clothing Co, $5 suit case.
Larsen & Klopstad, $7.50 hand corn sheller.
Davis & Co, $24 4-section harrow.
Hunt & Scheutz, 6 patent seed corn holders.
Wertz Seed Co, 1 bushel seed corn.
Iowa Clothing Co, $2.50 silk umbrella.
Farmers' Trust & Savings bank, $5
Security National bank, $5.
Northwestern National bank, $3.
International Harvester Co, $10 Atlas pumping jack.
Johnson & Aronson, $3 hat.
First National bank, $5.
T S Martin Co, art pillow.
Mystic Milling Co, 1 sack flour.
Johnson Biscuit Co, 1 dozen 5c Johnson biscuit, 2 pounds Johnson chocolates.
F L McClure & Co, 5 pounds G C baking powder.
Sturges Bros, $5 plush robe.
Orkin Bros, $5 waist.
Fred Schriever & Co, 1 set silver table spoons.
Fields & Slaughter, 100 pounds flour.
J S Michael, $1 worth garden seeds.
E H Schloeman & Co, horse commission, bell phone 1171, auto phone 1510, $5.

HOMEMAKERS' CLUB MEETING

The Dakota County Homemakers' Club, an auxiliary of the Farmer's Institute, will hold their annual public meeting in the Ayres hall Saturday February 11th, at 2 o'clock p m. All are cordially invited to attend. The following program will be given:

Review of Year—Mrs A J Kramper.

Minutes of the last meeting—Mrs S A Stinson.

Roll Call—Responses—A memory given or humerous saying.

Financial Report of Club—Secretary

Instrumental Music—Mrs John Miller.

Lecture—New methods of cooking and serving fruit and vegetables, illustrated by cooking demonstrations, Miss Nellie Maxwell, Neenah, Wisconsin. (State speaker)

Vocal Duett—Mrs Fred Mills and Miss Gertrude Mikesell.

Overland Journey through Yellowstone Park—Mrs A O Sides.

Vocal Solo—Mrs Paul Pizey.

Reading, selected—Mrs Elmer Blessing.

Paper—Mrs S A Mason.

Vocal Duett—Vera and Master Frankie Brown.

Recitation—Mrs Cora Miller.

Paper—What to avoid in the home and a few useful hints—Mrs J F Sides.

Reading, selected—Mrs C H Maxwell.

Vocal Solo—Miss M Edna Balus.

Current Events—Mrs Mary McBeath.

Reading, selected—Mrs Elizabeth Herwig.

Vocal Duett—Mrs Meil A Schmied and Miss Elizabeth Haase.

Recitation—Mrs A J Kramper.

Election of Officers.

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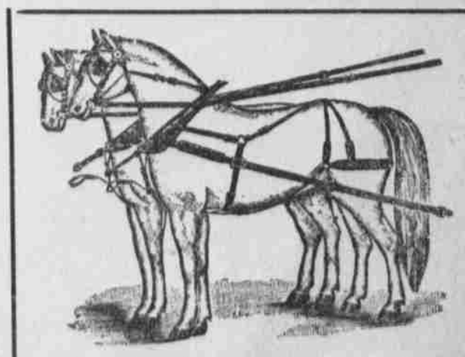

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